

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 09, 2009, reconsideration of the above-referenced patent application is requested in light of the following amendments.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.